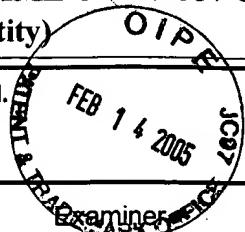


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Docket No.  
**PB0004**

In Re Application Of: **Sharron G. Penn, et al.**



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**Invention: Methods and Apparatus for Predicting, Confirming and Displaying Functional Information Derived from Genomic Sequence**

## **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 9, 2004 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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from: _____	December 9, 2004 <i>Date</i>	until: _____	February 9, 2005 <i>Date</i>	

The fee for the extension of time is \$450 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502-590
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 502-590
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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